

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Karen Giroux	Art Unit	: 1618
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111


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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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This responds to the Office Action mailed on July 24, 2009. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Applicant petitions for a three month extension of time, thereby moving the deadline for response from October 24, 2009 to January 25, 2010 (Monday). The appropriate fee to obtain a three month extension for responding to the Office Action will be paid at the time of electronic filing.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

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